# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA

#### **DOCKET NO. 2019-55-T**

Application of The Moving Squad LLC for a Class E (Household Goods) Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity for Operation of Motor Vehicle Carrier

### AFFIDAVIT OF SHIPPER WITNESS

Being duly deposed and sworn, Affiant states:

- 1. My name is Patrick O'Connor and my address is 1015 Steeple Ridge Road, Irmo, SC 29063.
- 2. I am giving this affidavit in support of the application of Michael Nicholson for a Class E Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity with statewide authority to move household goods to points and places throughout the state of South Carolina.
- 3. I am employed as/by Coldwell Banker (independent contractor) as a Realtor. I have been employed in this position since 2016. My responsibilities include helping people buy and sell homes. Currently the #1 Coldwell Banker Realtor in the Carolinas.
- 4. (Optional) I was previously employed by \_\_\_\_\_ as a \_\_\_\_ from \_\_\_\_
- 5. I know of the need for household goods movers in South Carolina because over the last 20 years the best real estate market nationally was 2006. In the Midlands of South Carolina, the best real estate market was 2018 with 2017 being the second best, and 2006 being the third best. Professionals in real estate are expecting 2019 to be stronger than 2018. Our micro market is consistent with the overall macro market in South Carolina.
- 6. Based on my knowledge of the need for household goods movers in South Carolina, I believe the public interest would be served by granting a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Michael Nicholson and The Moving Squad.
- 7. I also would like the Commission to know the following information about the Applicant: I have full confidence that Michael Nicholson and The Moving Squad will offer a much needed service in our area and will quickly become one of the best moving companies in South Carolina.

Further Affiant sayeth not.

SWORN TO ME THIS 21 DAY OF 600 20 19

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES 11 10 7

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

This is to certify that I, Carl E. Bell, Paralegal for Terreni Law Firm, LLC, have this date served a copy of the AFFIDAVIT OF SHIPPER WITNESS in the above-referenced

matter to the person(s) named below by causing said copy to be emailed to the address(s) show

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